

Nebraska NORMAL BOARD STILL FIGHTING

War Togs Have Not Been Discarded and Anti-Thomas Men Are in Saddle.

LITTLE MONARCHY AT KEARNEY

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, June 21.—(Special.)—The annual meeting of the State Normal board next Wednesday promises to be interesting in more ways than one. It is rumored that the old guard, which has been camping on the trail of A. O. Thomas for so many years, is still unsatisfied and will continue its warfare at the coming meeting, doing all possible to make things as uncomfortable for the present state superintendent as possible. That they have the power to do so is without question, as the board is made up of anti-Thomas men and the committees are so arranged that the anti has a majority on all.

It is said that the old conglomeration of patriots will attempt to elect Colonel Majors to the presidency. The other fellows will put up State Treasurer Hall, who has proven himself to be considerable of a scrapper and opposed to combinations in restraint of certain things. That the board is in a position to pull off most anything is shown by the fact that the instruction committee is composed of Majors, Caviness and Getty, while the executive committee is strongly anti, with Caviness, Majors, Vile and Morris.

Monarchy at Kearney.

It is said that the intention is to build up a strong educational monarchy at Kearney, and that such a thing is probable is evidenced by the work which has been done since the board decaipitated Dr. Thomas from the superintendency of the school. To show that the work is going on in fine shape it is only necessary to point to the fact that King was transferred from the state superintendent's office to Kearney at the time of the dismissal of Thomas; when Elliott was defeated for the republican nomination by Thomas, he was given a job at the eKearney State school; Principal George aRt-in and C. D. Benson have also been given good positions there, and the man who was chosen in Dr. Thomas' place as principal is with the anti strongly, while A. L. Caviness, leader of the opponents of Thomas, has now been chosen superintendent of the eKearney High school. All the above are said to be representatives of the Schoolmasters' club and strong opponents of Dr. Thomas.

One More Sliced to Go.

It is also given out on reliable authority that there is another man at Kearney who may lose his scalp. This man is said to be a mighty good man for the school. He was one of the strong supporters of Dr. Thomas when he was superintendent of the normal and it is said is so yet. Nothing can be found against him as an instructor and so it is claimed that his salary will be cut to such a degree that he cannot afford to stay with the school.

DRAINAGE DITCH PROVES ITS VALUE IN JOHNSON

TECUMSEH, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—The efficiency of the drainage ditch along the Nemaha river and tributary streams in Johnson county has been proven in the downpour of rain this week. The entire week has been rainy and, following a fall of nearly four inches in twenty-four hours, the water did not leave the ditch in the north and central portion of the county. At the lower section of the county the water came out for a period. Without the ditch and with the same conditions of precipitation the floods would have extended over the entire valley and ruined thousands of acres of crops. While the ditch was an expensive improvement there are but few, if any, of the property owners along the streams who were assessed for making it but who are enthusiastic. John H. Evans, who owns 400 acres near Tecumseh, paying \$50 per acre for it twelve years ago, has returned \$100 per acre for a portion of the farm, which was formerly subject to overflow. His assessment on the entire farm was nearly \$6,000.

MAN WHO ATTACKED HIS MOTHER BREAKS PAROLE

TECUMSEH, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—Edward Duvall, who pleaded guilty to an assault on his mother, Mrs. D. S. Ray, and with taking \$10 in money from her, in the district court in February, has broken parole and been returned to the county jail. Judge J. B. Raper paroled Duvall to Sheriff M. E. Ehm for a period of three years. Last week he became intoxicated in Lincoln and was jailed. The judge ordered him returned to Johnson county, and he will be sentenced within the next few days.

WEST POINT BOY PASSES MILITARY EXAMINATION

WEST POINT, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—Wayne Wallace Wells, eldest son of Dr. H. L. Wells of this city, has successfully passed his mental and physical tests for appointment to the West Point Military academy, New York. He was appointed as second alternate by Congressman Dan V. Stephens of the Third congressional district. He is 15 years of age, born and brought up in West Point and was graduated from the West Point high school in the class of 1914.

Hatches Peck Chickens.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—Recently while mowing his meadow Arthur Hutchinson, southwest of here, ran into a prairie hen's nest, killing the hen, who bravely stayed on her nest until she met her death. Gathering up the eggs Mr. Hutchinson set them under a large Brahma hen and some time later the hen came off with seven young prairie chickens. He says, it hurries the mother to keep up with them, and thinks by the time they are large enough to fry the automobiles will not run them down so easily as they do the domestic variety.

Pflug's Body Will Be Brought Home.

SPRINGFIELD, Neb., June 21.—(Special.)—George Pflug of this place, who shot and killed himself at the home of his sister in Des Moines, will be brought here for burial.

The Bee Want Ads Are Best Business Posters.

Nebraska COAL CONTRACTS ARE LET

State Board of Control Decides Who Shall Furnish Supplies at the Institutions.

VARIOUS FIRMS GIVEN LOOKIN

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, June 21.—(Special.)—The Board of Control awarded coal contracts today for supplying the different state institutions, the prices running from 2 1/2 to 5 cents lower than the contracts last year. The awards are as follows:
The H. E. Miles Coal company of Lincoln will furnish all of the coal at the institutions at Geneva, and a part at Beatrice, Lincoln asylum, Milford Soldiers' home and Industrial home.
The Coal Hill Coal company of Omaha gets the contract for all coal at Grand Island Soldiers' home, and a part at Beatrice, and the Milford institutions.
The Whitebrest Coal company of Lincoln will furnish all coal at the Hastings Insane asylum and penitentiary and a part of the coal at the Lincoln asylum.
Sunderland Bros. of Omaha will furnish the coal at the Omaha school.
Stickel Lumber company of Kearney gets the contract for the two institutions at that place.
Foss of Lincoln will furnish coal for the Lincoln Orthopedic hospital.

Convicts Threaten Trusty Held for the Murder of Woman

JOLIET, Ill., June 21.—In a demonstration against "Chicken Joe" Campbell, the negro trusty suspected of slaying the wife of Warden Allen of the state penitentiary here last night, 1,300 convicts gathered in the main dining hall at the noon hour today, rose to their feet and cried threats against Campbell.
One hundred guards, using clubs right and left, were required to restore order. "Lynch him! Lynch him! Let's tear him apart!" were some of the cries that arose from all parts of the hall.
Three hundred convicts resisted the clubs of the guards and jumped up as fast as they were forced into their seats, howling imprecations against the man whose alleged crime had in their opinion brought the honor system into disrepute and threatened its discontinuance.
At the coroner's inquest over the body of Mrs. Allen today nothing occurred to divert the finger of suspicion from Campbell, a Chicago murderer, detailed as a house servant for the warden.
A blood stained collar recovered from a linen closet across the hall from Mrs. Allen's bedroom figures in the testimony. Campbell admitted in his cell that the collar was his, but said the blood stain was due to a slip of his razor.
Mrs. Allen, before her marriage five years ago, was Miss Odette Mazie Bordeaux, a comic opera favorite. She was a member of the original "Merry Widow" company, she took an active part in the arrangements of the prisoners and her influence did much toward establishing the honor system which placed the penitentiary in the front rank of modern prisons.

House of Commons Gives Cabinet Blank Check for the War

LONDON, June 21.—The House of Commons this afternoon gave the national government a blank check to be filled up in accordance with the expenditures of the year.
In asking this indefinite credit Chancellor of the Exchequer McKenna announced that he proposed to issue a war loan to be terminated at the option of the government between 1925 and 1930 for a sum, the only limit of which is to be the excess of the national expenditures for war and other services for the year over the revenue.
This loan will be put out at par and will bear interest at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent. Holders of the first war loan and of consols and annuities will be given the privilege of converting on specified terms.
The facilities for subscription are so wide that the man who has a dollar will be able to invest as easily as the millionaire. First come will be first served, as the allotments will be made on application. The lists will close on or before July 20.
Mr. McKenna's announcement of the details of this loan was made in the House of Commons. The chancellor said:
"The time will come when the necessity of a further loan will become apparent and a prompt decision is required, as it is undesirable that a big loan should be kept hanging over the market."
The chancellor said the total realized deficit between revenue and expenditure up to last Saturday amounted to \$215,000,000. The daily war expenditures now amount to nearly \$3,000,000 and are still increasing.

Wilson to Make New Representation On Misuse of the Flag

WASHINGTON, June 21.—New representations to Great Britain on misuse of the American flag by English steamers probably will be made in the new note which is being prepared to deal further with interruptions to neutral commerce. It was stated officially today that as individual complaints of such instances had come to the State department they had been laid before the London Foreign office, but that the next note would again deal with the subject generally.
At the State department today it was said no official information was at hand on the German charge that the German submarine U-30 was rammed and sunk by a British steamer flying Swedish colors. American officials, while not admitting that the case has a bearing on the negotiations with Germany, are curious to know how the German admiralty got its information, inasmuch as everyone on the U-30 was reported lost.
Later today the German claim respecting the U-30 was reported by Ambassador Gerard. His message, it was said, contained no comment as to the possible effect on the negotiations with Germany. The ambassador has as yet been unable to give any indication of the probable date of the reply to the last American note. It is assumed from unofficial reports, however, that it may be sent next week.

Nebraska ELEVATOR MEN TALK WAREHOUSES

State Railway Commission Asks Them to Hold Conference Over the New Law.

COMMUNION CUP NOT AFFECTED

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
LINCOLN, June 21.—(Special.)—The State Railway commission has called a conference of elevator men for June 20 at the offices of the commission to discuss the new public warehouse bill passed by the last legislature, which goes into effect July 8.
Forms and blanks necessary to the transaction of the business will have to be prepared and the commission is desirous of getting all the information it can relative to the enforcement of the law and its requirements. Everybody interested in the matter will be permitted to attend.
Ruling Affects Churches.
The new ruling of the State Board of Health relative to the nonuse of the public drinking cup has made considerable trouble for the churches, which have been using the common communion cup and as a result on request of Rev. Mr. Hepler of Holdrege, Assistant Attorney General Rowe has handed an opinion in which he says that the communion cup cannot be counted in the ruling because, as a communion cup is restricted to certain individuals and is not therefore a public cup in the full meaning of the word and therefore cannot be classed with the cups coming under the order of the board.
Ask for Moldonado.
Governor Morehead has asked the governor of Colorado to return to Nebraska in care of an officer Odilon Moldonado, who is accused of shooting Sarbus Bustos at Ogallala in Keith county, February 13, 1915. He is being held by the chief of police at Pueblo.
Aviator is Busy.
Chief Aviator C. W. Shaffer, instructor in aviation who will have charge of the aviation department of the National Guard Officer's school which is meeting here this week, has arrived in the city with his aeroplanes and is busy at work assembling them at the fair grounds, where the instruction is to take place. Flights will be made every day beginning Wednesday morning from 7 until 9 o'clock in the forenoon and from 3 until 5 o'clock in the afternoon.
Thomas Will Talk.
State Superintendent A. O. Thomas has been invited to deliver two Independence day addresses and has accepted. One will be delivered at White Bridge park just north of Kearney on July 3 and the other at York on July 5.

ROCK ISLAND HARD HIT BY WASHOUTS

FAIRBURY, Neb., June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Owing to washouts at Clyde and Scandia, train service on the Rock Island through Fairbury has been paralyzed and through trains are being detoured over the Union Pacific from Omaha. Thirteen thousand feet of track at Scandia is washed out.
Division Superintendent W. A. Sheehan's private car is upset in the water at Scandia. A working train, and a relief train, were sent from this point to Scandia. Last night Chief Dispatcher Inwood of this place said no trains will go through Fairbury for several days.

BABY'S FACE BROKE OUT WITH PIMPLES

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"I began by bathing her face with water and then applying — but as it kept growing worse I got a prescription of some kind of salve. Still her face got worse. I read of Cuticura Soap and Ointment so I tried them. After the second application I could notice an improvement and in less than two weeks her face was as well as ever without a scar." (Signed) Mrs. Sidney Turner, June 5, 1914.
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BREAK IN CARRANZA CABINET CONFIRMED

Consul Silliman Wires that Ceberra, Zubaran, Verdugo and Urqueta Have Resigned.

GONZALEZ NEAR THE CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, June 21.—Consul Silliman, at Vera Cruz, has confirmed Carranza agency reports of the acceptance of the resignations of four members of the Carranza cabinet and added that their successors would be appointed this week. Previous advices have said General Obregon demanded that the officials be retained. This development was regarded as a widening of the breach between Carranza and his principal commander.
The four who resigned are Luis Cabrera, Ralpalba Zubaran, Esquedero, Verdugo and Jesus Urqueta. Cabrera and Zubaran at various times have represented the Carranza faction in Washington. Mr. Silliman forwarded a report from General Gonzalez, leading the expedition to reoccupy Mexico City, saying that the force was close to the capital.
Denies Break with Obregon.
GALVESTON, Tex., June 21.—General Carranza, in a personal cablegram to Juan T. Burns, constitutionalist consul here, today declared there was no truth in reports of a break between himself and General Obregon. No other information was contained in the cablegram.
College Dormitory Burned.
STORM LAKE, Ia., June 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire at 2 o'clock this morning destroyed Buena Vista's college dormitory, valued at \$10,000.

ARDOR COOLS OVER COMING OF SUNDAY

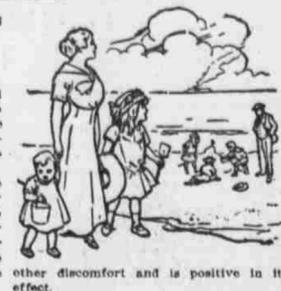
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E. Cobey of the First Christian church, chairman of the personal work committee of the Sunday revival organization, said that he "felt stirred up to do something."
Few Attend Meetings.
Rev. A. C. Douglas, president of the union, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church and chairman of the Billy Sunday prayer meeting committee, explained that the laymen had not been attending the booster prayer meetings generally. He said that only the most faithful workers had attended, and that

"the committee did not want to ask the faithful to attend too many meetings in the hot summer months."
Thomas proposed that the last Sunday in July, or the first Sunday in August, be set aside as a special Billy Sunday day, when the preachers would trade pulpits and all preach on the spiritual side of the Billy Sunday revival. The assembled ministers thought the idea a good one and voted to adopt it.
Would Not Change Pulpits.
Rev. Titus Lowe, pastor of the First Methodist church and general chairman of the Billy Sunday enterprise, immediately offered to trade pulpits for the special Billy Sunday day with Rev. O. D. Bally of Kootzke Memorial Lutheran church, whose congregation is not joining actively in the Billy Sunday movement, but will continue to hold Sunday morning services during the campaign, although other churches will close up.
Rev. Mr. Bally refused to accept the offer to trade pulpits with Rev. Mr. Lowe, saying that he wanted to continue his own church work, which is the largest of any Protestant church in the city.
Suppose Sunday Does Not Come.
On top of all the dampening effect of various remarks concerning the Billy Sunday revival, the following by Rev. F. P. Ramsey served as an additional jolt to the preachers:
"Suppose Billy Sunday never comes to Omaha. Why not begin now to convert people, so that if Billy Sunday does not

come we will still get results?"
Rev. Mr. Lowe laughed at the intimation of the possibility that Billy Sunday might not come to Omaha. He asserted that "everything was just lovely" and that the committee felt encouraged over the outlook.
Referring to recent press dispatches from Philadelphia regarding discord in Billy Sunday's company, Rev. Mr. Lowe said:
Did Not Make Enough Money.
"Bentley D. Ackley, Mr. Sunday's right-hand man, confidential secretary and pianist, was simply a poor business man and sold his rights to his song compositions cheap, so he failed to make any money out of them when they became popular. He was disgruntled over it and quit the party for that reason."
"As to Rev. Edward H. Emmett, the confidential advance agent, who has also parted company with 'Billy Sunday,'" Rev. Mr. Lowe continued, "I want to say that Emmett was not summarily discharged, as reported. He was given notice as early as last February that his connection with Billy Sunday's company would end after the Patterson revival. Emmett's method of handling committees and of meeting people did not suit Mr. Sunday, so the latter decided to replace him."
"As to charges of plagiarism lodged against Billy Sunday, Rev. Mr. Lowe said that they were not true, and that when the evangelist "used other men's stuff he always gave due credit for it."

Now Are the Days Children Need Care

Summer Heat Dangerous to Little Ones if Bowels Are Neglected



A mother cannot do better for her child than to train it from early infancy to regular habits, not only as a preventive against much of the illness to which children are more or less subject, but also to insure their health in later life.
Normal activity of the bowels is the basis of sound health. This is especially true with children in hot weather. Do not neglect any tendency they may show to constipation, but promptly administer a gentle laxative, that will carry off the congested waste without shocking the system.
An excellent remedy for this purpose is the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and sold in drug stores for only fifty cents a bottle. It does not contain opiates, narcotics, or harmful habit-forming drugs of any description, acts easily and naturally without griping or

'Complexion Secrets Of An Actress'

In a recently issued volume bearing the above title, the author says: "Continuous use of grease paints, rouge and the like, had ruined my complexion. My skin was colorless, wrinkled, coarse and punctured with large pores. In England I heard of the virtues of mercolized wax; my first experience with this marvelous substance convinced me it was more valuable than all cosmetics combined. Now whenever my complexion begins to go wrong I get an ounce of mercolized wax at the nearest drug store, spread on a thin layer of it before retiring, washing it off next morning. The wax, after a few such treatments, seems literally to absorb the worn-out cuticle, when a brighter, healthier, younger-looking skin appears."
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President Wilson's Conscience

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Mr. Bryan's Conscience

While Mr. Bryan's dramatic exit from the Cabinet finds support in some quarters, THE LITERARY DIGEST for June 19th shows in its impartial, widespread summary of public opinion on the occurrence, that the country is solidly behind President Wilson and his demands from Germany, as expressed in the latest note.

One great American newspaper predicts that "The Imperial German Government will have difficulty in getting as angry over it as Mr. Bryan has."

Stirring events happen with kaleidoscopic rapidity these days. You must read THE LITERARY DIGEST to maintain a clear, mental outlook—to see all sides of great topics.

In addition to a notable presentation of the Bryan resignation and President Wilson's note to Germany, there is much that will claim attention in such features as:

- Popular Approval of the Steel Trust Acquittal
- Uncle Sam to Fight the Black Hand
- England's Munition Muddle
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- Are Large or Small Families Best?
- Have Savages Better Eyesight Than Ours?
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- British Struggles With Our Speech
- What the Holy War Might Have Wrought
- Must the Church Be Vulgar?

Every page of THE LITERARY DIGEST for June 19th possesses an interest for the average reader, covering, as the entire number does, the best and most important news in Science, Politics, Invention, Literature, Art, Religion, Education, Industry, Sport, Drama, etc. The selection of interesting photographs, cartoons, and maps makes a particular appeal.

Under date of May 7th, 1915, Hon. BRAND WHITLOCK, American Minister to Belgium, writes: "I have not been without it for years and just now especially I do not like to miss the use and profit of reading it each week."

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